

IL ROUTE 64 PROJECT UPDATE NOTICE

April 5, 2013



This notice will provide a brief update for all of the construction projects taking place along the IL Rt. 64 corridor through St. Charles. If you need any additional information please feel free to contact James Bernahl, Public Works Engineering Division Manager, at 630-377-4486.

IL Route 64 (7th Avenue to IL Route 59):

Please be advised that temporary movement restrictions and road closures may be put into place by the St. Charles Police Department as deemed appropriate to improve travel times and overall safety.

PLEASE NOTE:

- Although this IDOT contract has been designed in two stages, during the weekly progress meetings the project has primarily been discussed as one large project, for that reason these updates will be presented in a similar format.
- For residents and local businesses that may have questions or concerns about specific site issues please feel free to contact the Resident Engineer for IDOT, Dave Cuthbertson, at the IDOT Field Office (630) 549-0768.
- Weekly updates and information are also available on the City of St. Charles website:
 - <http://www.stcharlesil.gov/projects/construction/64-kautz-59>

East Side Project Limits (38th Avenue to IL Route 59):

- The Contractor will continue with the installation of the new concrete pavement on the west side of Smith Road and Kautz Road both respectively near East Main Street. Once the concrete roadway has properly cured, the traffic will be shifted to the new concrete roadway and work will commence on the east side. The new concrete roadway will require a minimum of 10-days to properly cure before traffic can be shifted. A definitive date has not been set for this traffic pattern change near this intersection.
- The Contractor will continue with the breaking and removal of some of the remaining roadway sections. This work is expected to be ongoing for the next few weeks in preparation for the placement of the new concrete roadway on East Main Street.
- The Contractor is planning to install a new storm sewer across Powis Road beginning Friday April 5th. This work is expected to be completed within a week weather permitting. It is IDOT's intent to reopen the full Powis Road intersection as quickly as possible, however, no definitive date has been set.

- Construction activities associated with the new bridge near Powis Road are expected to continue through the next few months. Work at the bridge is expected to be completed by mid-July 2013. Currently work activities are focused on the center lanes of the bridge with traffic being diverted to the new outside lanes.

West Side Project Limits (7th Avenue to Kirk Road)

- The Contractor initiated construction activities on Monday March 25, 2013. The City issued a press release this week indicating this same information. The Contractor reinstalled the electronic message boards indicating that work began. Traffic has now been diverted to two lanes beginning near the intersection of 7th Avenue and East Main Street.
- The Contractor will continue with the breaking and removal of the existing roadway on the north side of East Main Street beginning near the intersection of 7th Avenue and East Main Street. Work will progress easterly as the crews improve and expand existing storm sewers within the IDOT right-of-way.
- The Contractor will continue with curb installation work on East Main Street between Tyler Road and Kirk Road. Included with this concrete work will be permanent concrete patching for the proposed roadway widening.
- The Contractor will continue with pavement grinding and removal work focusing primarily on the north side of East Main Street from 7th Avenue towards Kirk Road. This work is anticipated to be ongoing for the next few weeks.